Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 27 Aug 2020 until 23:59 on Friday 28 Aug 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 26 Aug 2020 at 16:45 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for largely dry conditions over the coming days.

Headline for Thursday 27 Aug 2020: Cloudy with scattered showers through much of the day.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 27 Aug 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	30%	40%	40%	60%	60%	20%

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Weather: Some clear spells in the west at first but turning cloudy across the region. Scattered showers or longer spells of rain pushing up from the south by late morning, most frequent across southern parts. Moderate easterly winds.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low cloud may affect mountain tops at times through the day, particularly in the east in association with rain. Best chance of cloud free tops in the west.

Visibility: Mostly very good outside of heavier rain/showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	5/6 SE	4/6 E	5/8 E	8/12 E	9/14 E	12/17 E	11/16 E	12/18 NE	15/21 NE
900	6/8 SE	6/8 E	7/10 E	10/15 SE	9/14 SE	10/15 E	10/16 E	11/16 NE	13/20 NE
600	3/4 NE	3/5 NE	4/6 NE	5/9 E	6/11 E	10/15 E	10/15 NE	12/17 NE	13/19 NE
300	3/4 N	3/5 N	3/6 N	5/9 NE	6/11 E	9/15 E	6/12 NE	6/11 NE	7/13 N
Glen	3/8 NE	3/9 E	5/12 NE	6/12 E	5/10 E	6/12 NE	8/16 NE	8/18 NE	8/18 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	3/1	3/1	3/1	3/-0	4/1	4/0	4/0	3/-1	2/-2
900	5/3	4/2	5/2	6/3	8/5	8/5	7/4	6/2	5/1
600	7/7	7/6	8/7	9/7	10/9	10/8	9/7	8/5	7/4
300	9/9	9/8	9/8	10/9	13/12	13/11	11/10	10/9	9/8
Glen	10/10	10/10	10/10	13/12	15/14	15/14	14/12	12/10	11/10
Freezing Level*	1800m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1800m	1700m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling unseasonably cold.

Forecast for Friday 28 Aug 2020
Weather: Plenty of sunshine on Friday, particularly through the morning. Mostly dry but the odd light showers may filter down from the north later in the day. Strengthening northerly winds.

Maximum wind: Northerly 15-20 mph, gusting 30 mph in the morning.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: High throughout the day.

Visibility: Mostly very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 6 rising to plus 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits

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